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In re application of:

Art Unit: --

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COMBINATION OF SCREW WITH

STABILIZED STRENGTH AND SCREWDRIVER BIT, AND HEADER PUNCH FOR MANUFACTURING THE

SCREW WITH STABILIZED STRENGTH

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Box: Patent Application

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a Preliminary Amendment be entered as follows: